

Docket No.: 44239-074

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277
Toshitsugu YAMAMOTO : Confirmation Number: 3564
Application No.: 09/713,320 : Group Art Unit: 2624
Filed: November 16, 2000 : Examiner: Stephen M. Brinich
For: IMAGE PROCESSING APPARATUS CAPABLE OF PREVENTING PSEUDO CONTOUR

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☒ No additional fee is required.
☐ Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27
☐ Also attached:


The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	14	20	0	\$50.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	6	8	0	\$200.00 =	\$0.00
Multiple claims newly presented					\$0.00
Fee for extension of time					\$0.00
					\$0.00
Total of Above Calculations					\$0.00

- ☐ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 500417 in the amount of \$0.00. An additional copy of this transmittal sheet is submitted herewith.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 500417, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

Honorable Commissioner of
Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in response to the Office Action mailed December 10, 2004. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

The listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims

Claims 1 - 4 (Cancelled)